

Crustaceans/Precious Corals Discussion Group 3
Convened by Sustainable Resources Group Int'l, Inc.

November 19, 2003
9:00am – 12:00pm

Honolulu International Airport Conference Room
7th Floor, Inter-Island Terminal

Meeting goals: Review ecosystem management principles and present criteria for sustainable use. Describe status of management regime structure and possible alternatives for proposed NWHI National Marine Sanctuary and elicit feedback. Review and discuss fishery management/regulations for possible alternative management regimes for lobster fishery and precious coral fishery in the NWHI.

Outcomes: Refinement of alternative management structure for proposed NWHI National Marine Sanctuary. Input on structure and components of a sustainable fishery system. Highest degree of agreement possible on guidance for fishery management for lobsters and precious corals for a range of possible management alternatives.

Agenda

9:00-9:10am	Purpose, guidelines, and review of meeting agenda by facilitator Dee Dee Letts
9:10am-9:30am	Review of ecosystem management principles, Bruce Wilcox, SRG
9:30am-9:50am	Current status of possible management regimes/alternatives, Kristin Duin, SRG
	Results of group exercise on possible management regimes
	Concerns resolved and unresolved
	Feedback and refinement of alternatives structure (Facilitated discussion)
9:50am-10:20am	Description of Sustainable Fishery System, Bruce Wilcox, SRG
	Summary of information gathered from subsistence meetings and applicability to fisheries
10:20-10:35am	Break
10:35-11:45am	Guidance for fishery management/regulations for alternatives
	Review and discussion of possible fishery management/regulations for lobster fishery.
	Review status of precious coral fishery as described by this process.
11:45am-12:00pm	Conclusions and Next Steps